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Response

Sir:

Applicants now respond to the Office Action of 8 June 2004, and request entry of the following Remarks and amendments into the record. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a three (3) month extension of the shortened statutory period set by the Examiner and authorization to charge the required fee to the indicated deposit account.

Applicants respectfully request entry of the amended claims and remarks herein.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.